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IS MATTER OF COMPARISON

True Significance of World's Styling a Man Wise and Virtuous Beyond His Fellows.

It is usuar so compare one man with another; and finding very few whom we can call wise or virtuous, we are apt to entertain a contemptible notion of our species in general. That we may be sensible of the fallacy of this way of reasoning, we may observe that the honorable appellations of wise and virtuous are not annexed to any particular degree of those qualities of wisdom and virtue, but arise altogether from the comparison we make between one man and another. When we find a man who arrives at such a pitch of wisdom as is very uncommon, we pronounce him a wise man; so that to say there are few wise men in the world is really to say nothing; since it is only by their scarcity that they merit that appellation. Were the lowest of our species as wise as Lord Bacon, we should still have reason to say that there are few wise men. For in that case we should exalt our notions of wisdom, and should not pay a singular homage to anyone who was not singularly distinguished by his talents .- David Hume.

Words and Deeds.

An eminent bishop was advocating a more liberal loosening of the purse strings, and during a sermon one day told his congregation that he at one time sent an article to a paper, in which he said: "We pray too loud and work too little."

The intelligent compositor did a most satisfying job and when it appeared it read: We bray too loud and work too lit-

"I let it go at that," said the bishop. "The fact is, I believe the printer was right, and I never ventured to correct him."-National Monthly.

Genevieve Clark, daughter of Speakbook on cotton.

A man may be slow and sure, but it is different with his watch.

Backache Spells Danger

Do you know that your bad back may be merely a hint of some hidden, deep-seated kidney disorder? Census records show that deaths from kidney disorders have increased 72% in 20 years. People can't seem to realize that the first pair in the back, the first disorder of the demands instant attention-that it nedicine is Doan's Kidney Pills.

An Illinois Case



Mrs. Matilda.

Meixner, 722 Market Ave. East St.
Louis, Ill. says:
"For years I was
troubled by irregular kidney action.
My back pained me
severely. Off and on
I had dizzy spells. I
felt tired, weak and
nervous and sometimes could hardly
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helped me as soon
as I took them and
me up in good shaps.
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FIX WEIGHTS FOR LEGHORNS

American Poultry Association Approve Standard for Barred Rock Breed-Text Books for Schools.

At the annual meeting of the American Poultry association the following weights for Leghorns were adopt-Cocks, five and one-half pounds; hens, four pounds; cockerels, four and one-half pounds; pullets, three and one-half pounds. The move for a reduction in weight of Barred Rocks was ruled out of order, it having been voted down at Atlantic City last year.

The meeting also passed and approved a Barred Rock breed standard, a market poultry and egg standard, an official egg score card, and a textbook for schools. It might be said that the olbooks won the textbook, for



Mr. C. T. Patterson of the Missouri experiment station, produced a scrapbook containing all that he could find in American schoolbooks concerning poultry. The book and its crude illustrations showed the actual necessity of at least a truthful presentation of the subject. The convention saw the point, and quickly placed itself in accord with the recommendation of Professor Patterson. The book is be ing prepared for the seventh and eighth grade pupils, for boys' and girls' poultry clubs.

PACK POULTRY FOR MARKET

Whatever Mars Appearance of a Bird Lowers Price-Wrap in Paper so Fowls Do Not Rub.

There is an art in packing. Carelessly packed birds go on market out of shape, bruised and unsightly where er of the House Clark, will write a jammed together. Whatever hurts the appearance of a bird lowers the price. er pack birds between straw of hay, because every straw cuts into the skin and flesh, giving a fresh bird the appearance of mortification already set in. Poultry must sell upon appearance. To pack aright place packing stuff first on the bottom of the barrel, for a barrel is always better than a box. Over this lay strong paper, on this your first layer of poultry, every space filled so that while the fowls do not rub, yet they are too tight to move. When full spread over another layer of paper, then straw, then put on the lid. Each fowl is packed best if wrapped in paper made for that purpose. Some packers place cracked ice in with the chickens. In hot weather ship by express, in cold by freight, though you must look close after the time for delivery and the market they must go on.

POULTRY READY FOR WINTER

Market the Old Hens, as They Will Not Lay During Cold Weather-Thoroughly Clean House.

Get your poultry ready for winter. The old hens should be marketed, as they will not lay during the winter and the market for them is still good. Clean up the henhouse, cleaning out the rubbish, fumigating, spraying or renewing the nests, whitewashing the inside of the house and painting the outside. If the garden has nothi ; the hens can destroy, spade up the old lettuce bed and let them eat the grubs. It will be good for both hens and garden. Give a small dose of Epsom salts in a little moist food once a week during the month and plenty of fresh water at all times. Our chief error is in using for broilers the tender early hatched hens that would give winter eggs, and keeping the profitless old

Stick to One Breed.

If you wish to go into the poultry business systematically, select one standard breed and stick to it for a couple of years, or until you are satisfied there is something better. Mixing flocks is bad. Another point to bear in mind is that you should not sell eggs when everybody else is selling. That is when the market is low-Better be raising broilers when eggs are under 25 cents a dozen.

Color of Eggs. Boston and other New England

cities demand eggs with brown shells, while New York and San Francisco prefer them white. There is an acual difference in price due to colors in these centers. The color of eggs depends upon the breeds of hens. Those of Mediterranean extraction produce white eggs, while the Asiatio produce brown. As a matter of fact, the color makes no difference.

Must Scratch and Dig. The very life of chicks and hens of all ages depends upon their having a chance to scratch and dig at some



British Officer's Experience Shows That It is Not Always Wise to Teach One Tricks.

It is not always wise to teach t orse to play tricks, as this story told by Gen. Sir Robert Baden-Powell in Pearson's Magazine, proves.

John Leech's inimitable circus horse

that insisted on sitting down with his rider whenever he heard a band play, s the prototype of a horse of mine, which, in a weak moment, I had taught to rear up and "salaam" whenever I leaned forward to make a bow.

FEW FUNCTIONS OF TANKAGE It was all very pretty when I was out riding and met any lady of my ac-Connects Successive Generations of quaintance, but it became an infernal nuisance when I was out pig sticking. I would lean forward to meet the rush of a charging boar with my spear-(By G. R. SANSON, Oregon Experiment Station.) up would go the silly beast on end, just at the moment when his safety Tankage connects the successive depended on my taking a true and generations of pigs so vitally that one deadly aim with my spear point. The generation may become food for the consequence was that his hind legs next. When hogs are slaughtered showed many scars from boars' tusks, their blood and refuse that were forand he was lucky that he did not end merly wasted are made into tankage and used to fatten the next crop of pigs for the market. While not a

Pigs 80 Vitally That One May

Become Food for Next.

great deal of this material enters in-

to the new lot of pigs the most ex-

pensive parts of their carcasses are

Tankage is a by-product of the

meat industry that is admirably suited

to hog feeding, and is likely to re-

main the cheapest source of protein

for swine. The supply is increasing

as slaughter methods become more

terials from which tankage is made

are wasted by the small slaughtering

establishments. The use of a system

and turning it into a valuable com-

mercial product instead of into a pub-

lic menace to health will increase the

supply and assure its availability

Swine are likely to remain the prin-

cipal consumers of this product be-

cause it is neither so palatable nor

digestible to cud-chewing animals.

Being a product of the meat industry,

tankage has a more direct relation to

the swine production than has any

other protein feed supply. It carries

twice as much protein as linseed and

soy bean meal, nearly seven times as

much as barley or corn, and costs

only about one-third more. It may

also be fed an indefinite time without

MAKING A DOG-PROOF FENCE

Effective Protection Can Be Con-

structed of Seventeen Horizontal

Wires, Fastened to Posts.

An effective dog-proof fence is

shown in this illustration. It consists

of 17 horizontal wires, the three lower

wire 11/2 inches apart, the width be-

inches at top. The vertical stays are

6 inches apart. The wires are fast-

ened to posts set 25 feet apart, the

bottom wire being 3 inches from the

ground. One barbed wire is set mid-

way between the bottom horizontal

wire and the ground. One barbed

wire is fastened to the posts 3 inches

higher than the top wire. Two barbed

wires are attached 8 inches apart to

pieces of 2 by 6 scantling nailed to the

posts above the wire with 20-penny

nails. These pieces are set outward

Pigs as Virus Carriers.

have recovered from an attack of hog

cholera, but which are otherwise in

an unsatisfactory condition, are often

found to be virus carriers. The urine

of young pigs is especially dangerous

and is often the chief cause of the

spread of the disease. The secretion

from the eyes and nose is dangerous,

for this may be inhaled or may come

in contact with the mucous mem-

brane of healthy animals, thus caus-

Community Breeding.

two ways, viz., it aids in getting a

fine pure-bred sire, much better than

the ordinary breeder could afford to

get. Next is advertising, for where

there are several herds of the same

breed it will be more widely known

and a buyer would have many more

to select from. If one cannot please

A Good Breeder.

No breeder, however wise he may

be, can succeed unless he is a good

feeder and a good manager. When

we talk of overfeeding our brood sows

we are mistaken or ignorant of what

we say. Throughout the farming dis-

tricts, one finds more underfed than

overfed hogs, more poor managers

Keep Track of Sheep.

not see all the sheep, you may get up

some morning and find them dead or

helpless. Count them every day. Go

out the last thing at night and see if

Guard Against Drafts.

Flock masters should carefully

guard against exposing flocks to

drafts. When they lie in drafts ca-

Sliage Good for Fattening.

Silage is a good thing for dairy cows,

Get into Sheep Business. Some men get into sheep by tak-

ing a small flock on shares, if a neigh-

for fattening steers, for feeding ewes

tarrh is liable to be the result.

If a single day passes when you do

than successful caretakers.

they are all right.

and fattening lambs.

bor has too many

him perhaps a neighbor can.

Community breeding is valuable in

ing the disease.

Observations made by German spe-

and upward with the posts.

tween wire gradually increasing to 5

injurious results.

At present, large quantities of ma-

concentrated and efficient.

throughout the entire year.

made up by it.

his career with his belly ripped open. I had, too, at one time, a fine, but somewhat nervous charger. One day, on a parade, my mount suddenly gave way with me, and quietly lay down. I thought for the moment he was ill, but, on rousing him, he immediately sprang to his feet again, quite fit and well. A week or two later, when riding with a friend, we stopped for a moment to admire the view, when down he went again. It was evident to me that he had been trained to lie down at a given signal, but I never could discover for the life of me what that signal was.

A GRATEFUL ACKNOWLEDGMENT. that provides for saving this material

Mr. F. C. Case of Welcome Lake. Pa., writes: "I suffered with Back- steads may be had in the open prairie

difficulty in collecting my thoughts cultivation, these groves may be cut and O'Connell was put upon his trial and was troubled with shortness of breath. Dodds Kidney Pills however, they have been valuable in the verdict was eventually reversed have cured me of these complaints. providing fuel and shelter for cattle, by the house of lords —London Chron-Dodds Kidney Pills have done their work and done it well. You are at liberty to publish this letter for the benefit of any sufferer who doubts the merit of Dodds Kidney Pills."

Dodds Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or Dodds Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Write for Household Hints, Dainty Recipes; also music of National Anthem. All 3 sent free. Adv.

Early Dams on the Nile. What the British are undertaking in the Nile country, in the introduction of irrigation plans, was carried out to an interesting extent about 6,500 years ago by King Menes. He is credited when dykes were made on the west extended the same system of "basin irrigation" to the east bank, and in order to ward off the danger of a high flood out danger of overflooding.

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Enlightened.

"My dear duke," said her father, jocosely, "don't you realize that in this country the men never have anything to do with it? If she has given her consent nothing on earth will prevent her from marrying you. I cannot understand why she sent you to me." "Nor I," said the nobleman, "but I just wrote under them: suppose it was my mistake. It never occurred to me that she would wish to make the financial arrangements herself."

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A Mistake. First Ally-I'm afraid Russia is gony to stop chasing the Germans to get a big slice of Turkey. Secand Ally—What's the matter dinner celebration.

Appropriate. "I thought of going to the mas-querade ball as an old-time fop." "That's a dandy idea!"

The street tramways of France now employ an army of women as conductors and pointsmen.

WESTERN CANADA'S OFFER IS AMERICA'S OPPORTUNITY

GROW GRAINS IN WESTERN CAN-ADA, ENJOY AN EXCELLENT CLIMATE AND MAKE MONEY.

With the European wheat fields desolated, and the farming population more than decimated, there will be for a number of years a demand for food products that has not been experienced in the memory of the present generation. Everyone regrets the horrible war that has brought this about. Its effects are felt not only in Europe, but in every part of the American continent. Many lines of business have been hurt, but only temporarily it is hoped. Financial stringency is being talked of. There is a way of overcoming these things; and Western Canada offers the solution in its immense agricultural area, when the possibility of retrieving losses, making assured gains, and at the same time becoming a factor in providing the world with the one great requisite-wheat-is so pronounced that it cannot be overlooked.

There are several ways in which excellent farming lands can be secured in the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta, and also British Columbia

In the first place the offer of the Dominion Government of 160 acres of land free to the settler is something not given by any other country. Conditions of settlement are easy. Live upon the land six months in each year. for a period of three years, cultivate about thirty acres, and erect a habitable house. Instead of cultivation, the keeping of a certain number of head of cattle will carry with it the same value. Many of these home ache and Kidney Trouble. My head area, where every acre can be put historic spots in Ireland. It was heavy and sleepy north of the central portion of three after meals, was of the provinces named, there is af- Danes. Brian was killed in his tent: always nervous forded the best chance. In this park Sigurd Earl of Orkney and Calthness. and tired, had a country are beautiful groves of poplar perished also; and 11,000 Irishmen bitter taste in my and willow, small lakes and streams, and 13,606 Danes are said to have mouth, was dizzy, and sufficient open area to enable one fallen. Victory remained with the had floating to go into immediate cultivation for Irish, but the Danes reoccupied Dubspecks before my crops of wheat, cats, barley and flax. lin. In modern times O'Connell's moneyes, was always any one of which does wonderfully ster meetings for repeal were to have Mr. F. C. Case. eyes, was always any one of which does wonderly ster interings to the meet-thirsty, had a well, giving prolific yields. In due culminated at Ciontarf. But the meetdragging sensation across my loins, time when more land is required for ing was prohibited by the government, down at small cost. In the meantime, for conspiracy and convicted, though which thrive wonderfully on the wild icle grasses that grow in abundance.

Another plan is to purchase from some of the railway companies who hold large tracts, or from some re of the Jewish race ever to hold the sponsible land company. The prices to locate in the open prairie area or ister. in the park country the land will be found to be of the same general texture, a rich black or chocolate colored loam on a clay subsoil.

Again attention is drawn to the fact of the great opportunities for farming that are offered in Western Canada. Already a number of holders of tracts with the earliest irrigation works, of land there, who are residents of the United States-business men, merbank of the Nile to retain the flood wa. | chants, lawyers, bankers-men of foreters on the land for a longer period, sight and keen knowledge of bustthe east bank being left open for the ness, have decided to cultivate the inundation to spend itself freely. Two lands they have been holding for thousand years later Amenemhat III speculation and wait no longer for a buyer to turn up. They are acting wisely.

Canadian laws are as fair and just he made Lake Moeris where is now the as can be found in the civilized world. Fayum. Into this great artificial lake. Military service is not compulsory, one of the wonders of the world at that | nor is there one ounce of coercion period, the high waters were allowed used. Anything that is given to Great to escape, and from it, when the crest | Britain whether in money or men is of the flood had passed, the basins of entirely voluntary. There is no draftlower Egypt were kept supplied, with- ing nor conscription of any kind. Already over sixty thousand of the young men of Canada have volunteered for service, and thirty-five thousand have gone forward, many of these having left their farms in their love for Great Britain and a desire to fight for their country. As a consequence, many farms may be left untilled. Therefore Canada invites others to come in and take their places. This then is the opportunity for the American who wishes to better his own condition .- Advertisement.

> Possibly the Truth, but-"I understand you were punished in school yesterday. Thomas?" said Mr. Bacon to his twelve-year-old boy. "Yes, sir," promptly replied the nurse.

truthful Thomas. "It was for telling the truth, sir." "Your teacher said it was for some

reflection you made on her age." "That's the way she took it, father. You see, she drew a picture of a basket of eggs on the blackboard.

and while she was out of the room I erick."-Detroit Free Press. "The hen that made these eggs isn't any chicken."

Properly Named.

Umson-What variety of chestnuts do you sell here? Vender-I dunno. Why?

"You ought to call them the early birds." "Early birds?" "Yes. They always seem to catch the worms."-Youngstown Telegram.

in Word and Deed. "Your father and mother had an awful fuss last night, didn't they?" "Perfectly awful." "Which side did you take?"

"Papa has promised me a piano for with her? This isn't a Thanksgiving Christmas and mamma has promised me a diamond, so I am strictly neu-

> Or His Heir. Alice-What is your favorite air? Betty — The millionaire. — Boston Evening Transcript.

> Some men are better satisfied with failure than others are with success.



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A Knockout. Historic Clontarf. Senator Smith of South Carolina, Clontarf, where the collision bewho was recently re-elected, tells this tween the national volunteers and the story of a little argument in the court soldiers took place, is one of the most ached, my sleep was broken and ununder cultivation, but to the man with there, on Good Friday, April 22, 1614. and an elderly physician. The attorroom between a rising young attorney refreshing. I felt limited means, in the park area, lying Brian Boru and the men of Munster, ney was prosecuting a damage suit. Connaught and Meath fought the and the physician's testimony being detrimental to his cause, he was trying to show the the doctor was inexperienced. He asked sev cal satirical questions. The phylician answered patiently. Finally he tried a final shot.

"You've sent a good many of your

patients to heaven, baven't you, doctor?" he asked. "Well, I presume they went there." replied the physician, "unless they bad

formed too clo e an association with lawyers."

Worth Hoping For. Pa-What's that dreadful noise in the parlor?

Sir Rufus Isaacs is the first man Ma-Sarah's new beau is showing her how he can throw his voice. Pa-Well, don't disturb him: maybe office of lord chief justice of England. asked are exceedingly low and the Beaconfield was a Jew, but the office he'll throw it so far he won't be able terms easy. Whether one may decide that he held was that of prime min- to get it back again -- Youngstown Telegram

> Forward Movement Fear. "Why did the new cook quit in such a hurry?"

"I guess she saw the boarders me bilizin .." Egyond Dispute.

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completely gone." The Old Retort. "Dearie, I've long had something on

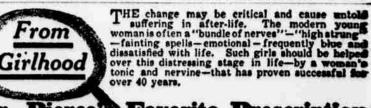
my mind," "I wish you wouldn't brag so, Fred-

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